IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re	Application of:)	
		:	Examiner: Hoa Q. Pham
JUNTA YAMAMICHI, ET AL.)	
		:	Group Art Unit: 2886
Application No.: 10/582,805)	
		:	Confirmation No.: 7022
371(c) Date: June 14, 2006)	
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For:	SUBSTRATE OF TARGET)	
	SUBSTANCE DETECTION	:	
	ELEMENT TO BE USED IN)	
	APPARATUS FOR DETECTING	:	
	TARGET SUBSTANCE BY)	
	UTILIZING SURFACE PLASMON	:	
	RESONANCE AND DETECTION)	
	ELEMENT AND DETECTION	:	
	APPARATUS USING SAME)	October 26, 2010

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 26, 2010, please amend the above-identified application, as follows: